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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP ART UNIT 1751
PATENT

Attorney Docket No. 5725.0398-00
Customer No. 22,852

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re National Stage of International
Application No. PCT/FR98/02074

Roland DE LA METTRIE et al.

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Examiner: C.D. Liott

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For: COMPOSITION FOR THE OXIDATION DYEING OF KERATIN FIBRES AND
DYEING PROCESS USING THIS COMPOSITION (Amended)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision of the
Examiner dated October 25, 2000, finally rejecting claims 32-74.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. ☒ A Petition for extension of time to extend the period for response to
April 25, 2001, is enclosed together with a fee of \$890.00.
2. ☒ The Appeal Fee of \$310.00 is enclosed.
3. ☒ A check for \$1,200.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed.

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Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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